

The Federal Communications Commission

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

Prepaid cell phone bills are high enough; don't raise them! I urge you to reject a flat fee proposal that would change how contributions are made to the Universal Service Fund.

I can hardly afford the service as is. Any rate hike will make it unaffordable.

Under the flat fee proposal you are considering, people who make few long distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers would bear the same universal service fund burden as a high-volume residential or business customers. This is unfair!

I bought a prepaid wireless phone for my 14-year-old son for safety reasons. He commutes to high school, and I want him to stay in touch with me.

I don't want to lose my contact with my son so that big businesses can pay less than their fair share. I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

Keep the USF Fair!

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